

court shall, if needful, compel their attendance by capias, returnable without delay.

Coroner to act as sheriff to summon jurors.

SEC. 2. That the acting coronor of said county shall perform the duties of sheriff at said special term, and shall also forthwith summon twenty-four good and lawful men, to be and appear at the court house on the day aforesaid, to serve as jurors at said special term; and if other jurors are needed the court may order talismen to be summoned in the usual manner.

Governor to appoint a Judge to hold court.

SEC. 3. That the governor shall appoint one of the judges of the superior court to hold said special term, whose compensation therefor shall be the same as is allowed by law to judges for holding special terms of superior court.

Appeal.

SEC. 4. That in case an appeal is taken to the supreme court in either of said actions, it shall be the duty of the parties to bring up the case or cases without delay, that the supreme court may hear and determine the same at its January term, 1871, as they are requested to do.

Copies of the act to be furnished.

SEC. 5. That copies of this act shall be at once forwarded by the secretary of state to G. W. Pickett, acting coroner, and L. E. Johnson, clerk of the superior court for said county; and said clerk shall give notice thereof forthwith to the respective parties in said actions.

When act to take effect.

SEC. 6. That this act shall take effect from the date of its ratification.

Ratified the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1870.

## CHAPTER II.

AN ACT TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR COLLECTING AND PAYING OVER THE TAXES FOR COUNTY PURPOSES FOR THE COUNTY OF CLEVELAND.

To have until February 15th, 1871, to settle with commissioners.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That J. O. Bridges, tax collector for the county of Cleave